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113TH CONGRESS  
2D SESSION

**H. R.** \_\_\_\_\_

To amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to exempt school-based enterprises from nutrition standards.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. WOMACK introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

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**A BILL**

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Jumpstarting Occupa-  
5 tional-learning and Entrepreneurship Act” or the “JOE  
6 Act”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXEMPTION OF SCHOOL-BASED ENTERPRISES**  
2 **FROM NUTRITION STANDARDS.**

3 Section 10(b)(1) of the Child Nutrition Act of 1966  
4 (42 U.S.C. 1779(b)(1)) is amended—

5 (1) in subparagraph (C)—

6 (A) by striking “and” at the end of clause  
7 (i);

8 (B) by striking the period at the end of  
9 clause (ii)(IV) and inserting “; and”; and

10 (C) by adding at the end the following:

11 “(iii) exempt from such nutrition  
12 standards school-based enterprises man-  
13 aged as part of a school’s curriculum.”;  
14 and

15 (2) by adding at the end the following:

16 “(E) SCHOOL-BASED ENTERPRISE DE-  
17 FINED.—For purposes of this subsection, the  
18 term ‘school-based enterprise’ means an entre-  
19 preneurial operation in a school setting that—

20 “(i) provides goods or services to meet  
21 the needs of the market;

22 “(ii) is managed and operated by stu-  
23 dents enrolled in the school as a hands-on  
24 learning laboratory;

1                   “(iii) provides realistic and practical  
2                   learning experiences that reinforce class-  
3                   room instruction;

4                   “(iv) may sell to consumers through a  
5                   permanent location, a mobile kiosk, or  
6                   through Internet marketing; and

7                   “(v) may sell products such as food  
8                   and beverage items, or provide services  
9                   such as event catering.”.